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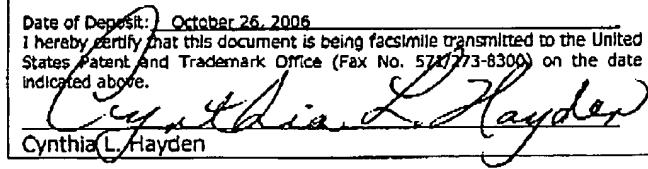
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Sir:

In response to the final rejection mailed October 11, 2006, reconsideration is requested in view of the following remarks.

A current listing of the claims is attached. No amendments were made.

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